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A NEW COMBINATION IN FLEMINGIA W. T. AITON (PAPILIONACEAE)

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Flemingia schultzii (F. Muell.) J. R. Maconochie comb. nov. Psoralea schultzii F. Muell. in Fragmenta 9: 155 (1875). Flemingia racemosa Domin in Bibliotheca Botanica 14 (89): 230–31 (1926).

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In his original description of *Psoralea schultzii* Mueller cited 457 indicating that he had only seen fragmentary material but considered it to be readily distinguishable from other members of this genus. An examination of the type sheet (MEL 54413) in the National Herbarium of Victoria, Melbourne, shows the collector and locality as "Schultz" and "Port Darwin" respectively. This sheet only has inflorescences and a fragment of a leaf but lacks fruits (F. Mueller noted "fructus mini ignoti"). An examination of the flowers shows that it belongs to *Flemingia* and not *Psoralea* (wings adherent to keel and ovary subsessile). An isotype in the Kew Herbarium, England (Schultz 457) has complete leaves, fruits and flowers (photo seen).

K. Domin (1926) cited F. Schultz 457 and W. Hann 233 and

244 as syntypes of Flemingia racemosa Domin.

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